lities are under control of Sports Aut'ority of India (SAI) :—

(i) Talkatora Swimming Pool, New Delhi;

(ii) National Stadium, New Delhi;

(iii) SAI NS South Centre, Banaglore;

(iv) SAI NS Western Centre, Gandhinagar; and

(v) SAI NS NIS, Patiala.

(b) The swimming facilities under SAI are meant basically for training purposes for various schemes of SAI and holding of National Coaching camps. As such, no swimming tournament is organised by SAI. However, these facilities are let out to concerned Federations/Associations/Clubs for organising tournaments as and when required.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

INDO-RUSSIAN Joint Venture in Sports

6623. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Russia and India have signed a Protocol for wide-ranging Youth Exchange Programme;

(b) whether this Indo-Russian Protocol envisages increased Joint Ventures in Sports;

(c) whether Russia has offered coaching facilities for Indian Youth in Sports; and

(d) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS): (SHRI MUKUL WASNIK): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Indo-Russian Youth Protocol is mainly for exchange of youth between India and Russia. In the field of sports, there is only one provision for exchange of children's football team in the age-group of 11-15 years. Under this provision, Russia will send a 14 member children's football team accompanied by 3 officials to participate in Suborto Mukherjee Memorial Cup Football Tournament in October, 1995. India will send a 14 member children's football team along with 3 officials to Russia to participate in All Russian teenager's Football Tournament in the summer of 1996.

(c) Under the Protocol there is no provision for coaching facilities offered by Russia for Indian Youth in Sports.

(d) Does not arise.

District Primary Education Programme

6624. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the newly launched District Primary Education Programme (DPEP) has been launched for its comprehensiveness, focus and micro-level planning by UNESCO and other international agencies;

(b) if so, what are the States where this programme has been launched;

(c) what are the districts that will be covered during the Eighth Plan Period;

(d) what is the reasons for not launching this programme in any district of Madhya Pradesh; and

(e) by when this programme will be launched in Madhya Pradesh?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KM. SELJA): (a) and (b) The District Primary Education Programme was launched during 1994-95 in 42 districts of 7 States of Assam Maharashtra, Haryana, Karnataka, Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Madhya Pradesh. The central share of the Programme outlay has been largely mobilised from World

Bank (International Development Association) and the European Community (EC).

(c) Depending on the availability of resources, 110 districts are envisaged to be covered during the Eighth Five Year Plan.

(d) and (e) Do not arise.

केन्द्रीय विद्यालय के संबंध में प्रधान मंत्री को लिखे गए पत्र

6625. श्री शिवचरण सिंह : क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि अनेक सांसदों ने प्रधानमंत्री से स्वयं मिलकर और अनेक बार पत्र लिखकर केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन में व्याप्त बहविध प्रशासनिक भ्रष्टाचार और अनियमितताओं की उच्च स्तरीय जांच हेतु आग्रह किया था ;

(ख) क्या ऐसी जांच का आदेश दिया गया है ;

(ग) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या परिणाम निकले ; और

(घ) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय (शिक्षा विभाग एवं संस्कृति विभाग) में उप मंत्री (कुमारी शैलजा) : (क) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन ने सूचित किया है कि संसद सदस्यों ने प्रधानमंत्री को संबोधित अभ्यावेदन भेजे हैं जिनमें कुछ शिकायतों/मांगों की सूची दी गई है जिसमें केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन में कथित अनियमितताओं की जांच करने की मांग भी शामिल है।

(ख) जी, नहीं ।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

(घ) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन द्वारा दी गई सूचना के अनुसार आरोप सारहीन पाये गये थे और जांच करने का कोई औचित्य नहीं था।

Study on Double Shift in Kendriya Vidyalayas

6626. SHRI RAGHAVJI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 4156 given in the Rajya Sabha on 28th April, 1995 and state:

(a) whether any official and dependable study has been made to assess the impact and feasibility of double-shift pattern in Kendriya Vidyalayas; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, what is the basis of the conclusion arrived and referred to in the said reply?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) and (b) As per information furnished by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, a committee headed by Prof. B. Ganguly, former Dean (Academics & Science) NCERT has recommended that the second shift may be discontinued as the system is not academically sound, and that separate primary units and more KVs be opened to meet the demand.

केन्द्रीय विद्यालय की प्रवेश क्षमता

6627. श्री राघवजी :
श्री कैलाश नारायण सारंग :

क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री 28 अप्रैल, 1995 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न 4098 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) प्रति वर्ष खोले जाने वाले 20 केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों की कक्षा एक में कुल प्रवेश क्षमता कितनी है ;

(ख) दिल्ली/दिल्ली राज्य के केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों में प्रवेश हेतु केन्द्रीय सरकार के